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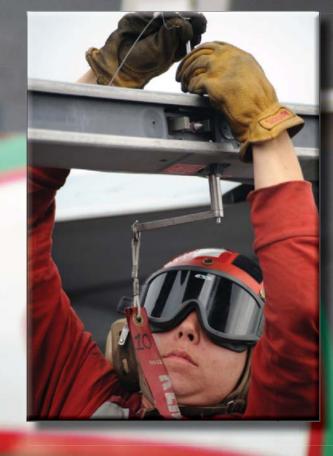


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(Above) Aviation Boatswain's Mate (Handling) 3rd Class Miguel Bonet and Aviation Boatswain's Mate (Handling) 3rd Class Antonio Rodriguez sit in their tractor on the flight deck, Sept. 29.

(Right) Aviation Boatswain's Mate (Fuel) Airman Kristi Pitts sits crouched with a JP5 hose while waiting to fuel an F/A-18 Hornet, Sept. 29.





(Above) Aviation Ordnanceman 1st Class Jessica Cook removes ordnance from an F/A-18 Hornet, Sept. 29.

(Left) Aviation Ordnanceman 2nd Class Derrick Thornton inventories ordnance on the flight deck, Sept. 29.

(Background) Lt. Jack Garcia of Strike Fighter Squadron (VFA) 87 speaks with aviation crewmembers after making an arrested recovery on the flight deck, Sept. 29.